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Every student of politics relishes those very few times when a set of circumstances seems to dovetail magically, and, as they say, create a really big show. We in the news business live for these rare occasions, and at the same time we approach them with some trepidation. Our task is to tell what happened, sifting out the chaff so our readers get only the real kernels of these magic occasions. If we sound dramatic mixing our metaphors, we plead guilty because we felt that way last week at Seaside's city council meeting.

All the elements were there -- the rhetoric, the confrontation, the ringing phrases, the Last Hurrah, the flushed faces, and the victory and the loss -- and then later there came the coup de maitre.

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It was an intriguing evening of politics. We haven't done it justice this week, nor shall we even in the weeks to come. But suffice to say, the events of last Thursday night gave the establishment of Seaside city government a very, very long lead into the April elections.

And we must say it -- the Mayor of the City of Seaside pulled one of the neatest political maneuvers we have ever watched.

In one swoop he grabbed himself several hundred re-election votes and at the same time split his opposition. That move by Mayor Lou Haddad was his engineering of the offer by the owners of The Pit to trade their equity for the old city hall.

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First of all the proposition is just what most of Seaside has been waiting for. It will wipe away that only tangible evidence that there is dirt and filth and dope and sex and blackness personified right here in Seaside.

Most of the narcotics sold on the Peninsula are sold in The Pit. Most of the hot merchandise stolen from Peninsula -- and especially Seaside -- homes is fenced through The Pit. Most of the racial incidents start in The Pit. Virtually all of the troublesome black youth use The Pit as their base of operations. Man, it's just a bad scene, that's all.

Will the people of The Pit go someplace else? Probably, but that's not the point, nor is it sound reasoning to say that the mayor's idea is no good.

Many who don't necessarily support Haddad's politics or his methods will agree that the only way to find out if the People of The Pit will go elsewhere is to shut it down and find out. There are other blacks who do agree with Haddad. There are some who might agree with the idea of closing The Pit, but would never admit it was okay if Haddad proposed it. And there are the people of The Pit who merely shrug and say, "We're still People and we got to have someplace to hang around. We'll just find someplace else -- or maybe we son't move at all!(The unstated result of the switch is obviously that once The Pit becomes city property, the police will be able to control it, plus the fact that there won't be any businesses there any longer.)

And then there are the ones who oppose its closing. We judge among the black community their number is sizable, and we imagine we'll hear from them. But chances are those who oppose The Pit's closing haven't got enough votes to offset the votes of those who favor its closing.

And that, very simply, is why Haddad pulled off such a neat political trick. Just remember that one of these days soon when Haddad says that he has reconsidered and has decided he'd like to have another term as mayor.

Louis N. Haddad is going to be very, very damned tough to beat come April.

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And although we are possibly somewhat less than dead serious in all of the above, there's more.

As opposed to the old city hall, the location of The Pit certainly is more valuable, even if the city has to obligate itself to some $60,000 to pay off the $43,000 mortgage (interest of some $17,000 at the rate of $498 a month.) At the old city hall, the antipoverty council wasn't and presumably won't at The Pit either. But at The Pit, the library probably would pay $200 a month and the school district probably will pay something for its space, either in cash or from inkind contribution by the city to its program. This would offset somewhat the city's cost. The city might lose the tax revenue from one liquor store -- Doc's -- but the other businesses don't provide much in gross sales.

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Steve Ross has a damned good argument against Haddad's plan, but then that's understandable since he probably will lose most from it as Haddad's opponent. Steve is right smack in the middle. He's director of the service center at the old city hall, and couldn't even vote on the matter the other night. But he'd be hard put to make too much of it anyway. Ross knows he lost some votes because of the move, and he implies that very few white persons can really do too much to oppose it. That means Ross probably is counting less on some of the white votes he will need to get elected. And then, too, Ross has been having difficulty getting anything approaching solid support for his candidacy from among the various black factions in the community.

Well, anyway, Lou, gotta hand it to ya, it was a pretty fair right cross, even for a Texas heavyweight champ. But we just have a feeling the People of The Pit haven't taken the count, yet. CML

TOO SOON - TOO LATE

ODDS ARE when Sentinel readers receive their newspaper this week The Pit will, in effect, be the property of the City of Seaside. Between the time the Sentinel goes to press on Tuesday and it delivery by mail to most readers on Wednesday, the city council will have made a decision on the matter. All indications pointed to an exchange of the old city hall at 1580 Del Monte for The Pit, the shopping center on Broadway just west of Noche Buena owned by Dominic and Ninfa Mineo. Mayor Lou Haddad announced the offer to councilmen last Thursday, and a special adjourned session of the council was set for Tuesday, Jan. 13. By Monday some opposition was building to the move, especially two of the businesses in The Pit that would be without leases -- Johnie Franklin at Frank's Place and Jesse Willard at On Broadway Cafe. Also eliminated would be Juan Castro's Broadway Bar-B-Q and Don McCormick's Doc's Liquors. Both Franklin and Willard said Monday they would appear at the council meeting Tuesday to oppose the exchange. McCormick said he would relocate in the area, and noted that contrary to a report by Haddad that the liquor store lease would expire in March, it has until January of 1971 to run. In suggesting the switch Haddad said the city would trade its approximate $62,000 equity in the 5000-square-foot old city hall for a similar figure at the 6,000-square-foot Pit. The city would assume a balance due on The Pit of $43,000 with payments of $498 at 6 per cent interest. Haddad said the antipoverty council service center would be moved to the new location as would the Emerson branch of the library. He also envisaged a high school vocation training center at The Pit.

(What to do about The Pit has preoccupied city officials for years. In September of 1968 a similar suggestion was made to do away with it, and the Sentinel made a visit there. The resulting story in 1968 could have been written today. We reprint it this week on Page 8. It speaks for itself. CML)

Haddad For Sex, Mayor's Term On Ballot

If Mayor Lou Haddad has his way, Seaside voters will speak out in April's city elections on a variety of local, state and national political issues ranging from sex to Vietnam.

The only local issue proposed by the mayor would allow local citizens to decide if they want their mayor to serve for four years -- as is the case now -- or reduce the term to two years.

Haddad called a special study session of the council Jan. 29 at 7:30 p.m. in city hall to discuss eight suggested proprositions.

Although it didn't head Haddad's list, the length of the mayor's term appeared to be the key proposition.

The matter came up more than a year ago when councilmen instructed city officials to seek an amendment to the state code to permit a reduction in term for general law cities. The late Assemblyman Alan Pattee had sponsored the enabling legislation, and after his death Sen. Don Grunsky carried the floor marshalling of the measure. It was enacted.

The state bill specifically allows city councilmen in general law cities to go to their constituents to ask if they favor a reduction in term.

This week City Atty. Saul Weingarten said his reading of the new law and other state codes indicated that if voters should approve the two-year term for mayor in April that the ballot measure would take effect immediately. This would mean that the candidate elected mayor this year would serve a two-year term.

In an appearance before the council last Thursday Pat Patterson said he had talked to four councilmen and each had expressed support of a two-year term. He didn't name the four, although Haddad has supported such a move several times, and Steve Ross, the only announced nayoral candidate, has also indicated he would not oppose a two-year term.

The new state code does not allow the council to decide to change the term of mayor on its own.

Haddad's suggestions for propositions -- which he said would merely be advisory, or in other words, straw polls -- include, as he presented them:

1. Shall the voting age be lowered to 19
2. Shall Seaside join in a regional form of government with other peninsula cities?
3. Shall marijuana be legalized?
4. Shall the United States withdraw all troops from Vietnam immediately, regardless of consequences?
5. Shall the term of Mayor be for only two years instead of the customary four?
6. Does Seaside support the Monterey Peninsula Unified School District in its program of redistricting school boundaries and cross-bussing students in order to maintain a better ethnic balance in our schools? (Editor's Note: The school district does not currently have a program of cross-busing students strictly to achieve better ethnic balance, although some 6,000 students are bused daily, for example Marina high schoolers to Seaside High.)
7. Does Seaside support the Monterey Peninsula Unified School District's sex education program as it is currently taught in our schools?
8. Shall the Monterey Peninsula Unified School District partially support parochial schools in order that they should not need to close, whose closing would create a tremendous burden on the taxpayer to provide more new facilities, teachers, etc?

Weingarten Given Vote Of Confidence

City Atty. Saul Weingarten got a unanimous vote of confidence from the Seaside City Council last week after his long-time critic, Pat Patterson, had pressed for Weingarten's dismissal.

The 5-0 vote came at the close of a emotionally charged council session in which Patterson and Mayor Lou Haddad traded invective over the Weingarten matter and politics, in general.

Patterson had called for the dismissal after the state supreme court refused Dec. 29 to hear an appeal by the city attorney of a judgment against Weingarten in a civil case. The high court's decision not to hear the case let an appellate court judgment stand in which Weingarten was convicted of legal malpractice and ordered to pay $12,000 in compensatory damages. No criminal charge was involved, and the appellate court had stricken charges of fraud and breach of trust from a superior court judgment.

The exchange between Patterson and Haddad was the most violent of numerous similar confrontations in the last several years.

Patterson charged that Haddad was an "unmitigated liar" when the mayor said Patterson had supported Haddad in a city council election campaign in 1964. Patterson also denied the mayor's charge that Patterson had called Weingarten "that kike city attorney," a defamtory reference to Jews.

In turn, Haddad read a lengthy account of Patterson's involvement in Seaside political history including the recall of two councilmen. The mayor said it proved Patterson had a "personal vendetta" against Weingarten.

IN RACE

HENRY BURNEY became the first officially announced candidate for next April's city council elections. The 41-year-old owner of Burney's House Cleaning Service will be making his second attempt at elective office In 1968 he ran last in a six-way race for council, garnering 199 votes out of 2,191 cast. Burney has been in business in Seaside for 12 years and lives at 1564 Harding St.

LANE GRIPE

RUSSELL AYRES, 2040 Grandview, Seaside, isn't the only Seaside resident and motorist complaining about the median striping along Fremont Boulevard but he's responsible for prodding the Seaside city council on the matter. Ayres' letter brought a storm of protests from councilmen to City Manager Milt Farrell at last week's council agenda session. The culprit, as becomes obvious in the photo, is driver habit. When in the outside lanes drivers almost always keep their cars entirely on the pavement. But that poses a problem since the pavement portion of the outside lanes has been squeezed. And when the driver's right wheels veer over to where the new blacktop starts, the ridge nudges them back toward the pavement. Farrell says drivers should straddle, with the left wheels on pavement and the right wheels on the concrete, but councilmen, and letter writer Ayres, contend that just isn't natural. Councilmen also complained -- as did Ayres -- about the confusion created by the two-way center turn lane and the fact that the words read bottom-up instead of the normal top-down. Farrell contends most California cities with major thoroughfares are going to the wider lanes and this type of center striping, and he hinted that all would be right again when a beautification study for Fremont is completed, and presumably the boulevard is resurfaced. John Perkins Photo.

TOP CITIZENS

HERSCHEL AMOS, left, was named Outstanding Citizen of the Year by the Seaside Chamber of Commerce at its annual installation dinner Saturday night. Manager Art Bayer presents the awzrd. Amos is a sergeant on the Seaside Police Department staff and has lived most of his life here. He spends most of his spare time working with youths -- especially YMCA and Explorer Scouts. Amos, 33, is married and has three children.

CHARLES SIMS has donated more than 5,000 hours to the safety of fellow Seaside residents as a reserve police officer during the last 10 years, and last week he was honored for that fact as Citizen of the Month by the Seaside City Council. The fifth to receive the award, he was caught by surprise when Mayor Lou Haddad announced the award. Sims owns Sims House Cleaning Service at 1414 Broadway and has lived in Seaside since 1942.

PRINCIPALS

PLAYING key parts in Saturday's installation of Chamber officers were Mayor Lou Haddad, Monterey Mayor Al Madden, Assemblyman Bob Wood and new President Larry Nelson. Madden made a surprise presentation of the first plaque of the Old Monterey Bicentennial to Haddad for his efforts in the last year at smoothing relations between Seaside and Monterey. Wood was main speaker at the affair. Nelson took over from outgoing president Dick Searle, who was honored for his longtime service to the Chamber. Radio station KIDD received a plaque for its service to the Chamber.

CHAMBER LINE UP

INSTALLED as officers and directors of the Seaside Chamber of Commerce were from left, Joe Ferreira, treasurer; Bob Young, second vice president; Larry Nelson, president; Mrs. Connie Turqueza, director; Mrs. Dee Alsburry, third vice president; installing officer Mayor Lou Haddad; Jim Wester, first vice president; John Mehrholz, John Bean and Ray Suzuki, directors. Seated is Manager Art Bayer and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ledeboer. Ledeboer served as master of ceremonies.

December Employment Up

A December record for employment and a relatively small increase in unemployment were highlights of the labor force situation in California last month, according to reports of departments of the State Human Relations Agency.

A total of 8,120,000 Californians were working in December, more than in any prior December and above the year - ago level by 233,000, or 3 per cent. Between November and December, total civilian employment increased by 58,000 a sizeable gain for this time of year.

Leaders in number of jobs added over the year were trade and services. For the third month in a row, manufacturing registered fewer workers than a year ago, primarily because of continued cutbacks in aircraft and ordnance.

The approaching holidays provide the inspiration for the over-the-month advance in total employment. Retail stores added temporary workers to serve holiday shoppers. Expansion in federal employment reflected an increase in post office employees to handle the Christmas mail.

Largest reduction from November among the major industries accurred in manufacturing, chiefly in food processing, the miscellaneous group, lumber, and stone-clay-glass, as well as in the aerospace complex.

Employment in aerospace manufacturing industries declined to about 544,000 in December, 72,-00 fewer than at the peak two years earlier, just before the onset of the current downtrend. A trade dispute, chiefly affecting the electrical equipment segment, is responsible for a small share of this loss.

California unemployment totaled 376,000 in December, a less-than-seasonal increase of 3,000 over the month. This year, predominantly fair weather during December limited the early - winter cutbacks in construction and other outdoor activities. Compared with the December 1968 level, unemployment was up by 38,000.

The seasonally adjusted unemployment rate declined to 4.4 per cent in December from 4.6 per cent in November, but was well above the December 1968 rate of 4 per cent.

The civilian labor force, consisting of the employed and the unemployed available for work and seeking work, totaled 8,496,-000 in December, up from the 8,225,000 level of December 1968.

Schools Seek Deaf

The Monterey Peninsula Unified School District is looking for deaf and hard-of-hearing adults who wish to develop lip-reading skills. If there is sufficient interest, the adult school will initiate a program in lip reading.

The course would be taught by a certified speech and hearing therapist. The class would be held in the evening in one of the schools; time and place to be announced.

Persons interested in improving their lip - reading ability should call the special education department of the Monterey Peninsula Unified Schools, 372-7111, Ext. 351.

Set MPC Registration

Now entering the last three weeks of its fall semester, Monterey Peninsula College is anticipating the Feb. 2 opening of its spring semester by registering evening students by mail and accepting applications for admission from potential day students.

Class schedules, containing data on all courses - day and evening - are now on sale at the MPC bookstore. A placement examination is scheduled for Jan. 17 at 8:30 a.m., and Jan. 26 at 6:30 p.m., in Lecture-Forum 103. Last day to file admission materials for students planning to take eight units of study or more is Jan. 21.

ASK IRS

Q- I paid someone to help me with a holiday party. Is what I paid subject to the Social Security tax on household employees?

A- Probably not. The tax on household employees only applies when cash wages of $50 or more are paid to a person for household services during a three-month calendar quarter.

If what you paid the person you hired to help out at the party came to $50 or more, then you would be liable. You also would be liable if you had employed the same person other times this fall and your total payments amounted to $50 or more during October, November and December.

Q- When is a year-end dividend on stock taxable, the year it is declared or the year it is received?

A- A dividend, like other income, is generally taxable the year it is received. In the case of year-end dividends, the stockholder usually doesn't receive his check until the following year. This would make the dividend taxable the year following the one in which it was declared.

Q- Does inherited property have to be reported on my income tax return?

A- No, this does not have to be reported. However, if the property is sold later for more than its fair market value when the decedent died, then the gain on the sale has to be reported.

Q- My husband is in Vietnam. Are we required to file a return?

A- No, you may wait until 180 days after he leaves Vietnam before sending in your joint 1969 income tax return.

If you do want to file a joint return earlier because you are expecting a refund, indicate in the space where your husband would sign that he is serving in Vietnam.

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Army Cuts Ord Civilians

Budget cuts directed by the Army will result in the elimination of 53 civil service positions at Ft. Ord, according to base authorities.

Camp Roberts also is affected by the budget curtailment. There will be a reduction of 84 positions there.

Throughout the continental United States it will be necessary to fire 5,037 employees at 43 Army installations. This reduction in force will be completed within two months. All of the personnel to be separated are career and career - conditional employees.

After the reduction, civilian personnel employment at Ft. Ord will be approximately 2,100. At Camp Roberts 55 employees will be retained, mostly firemen, guards and minor maintenance personnel.

At Ft. Ord the reductions will be across the board, affecting employees in such areas as clerical, technical, maintenance and supply. Largest single activity affected is Fritzsche Army Airfield where 23 positions will be eliminated.

The decision to reduce the work force at Ft. Ord and Camp Roberts was made after a careful review of available resources, missions and priorities. This action is a part of the defense expenditure reduction announced by the Secretary of Defense last August.

Career employees affected by the reductions in force will be afforded the benefits to which they are entitled under the DOD stability of employment program for career employees, including priority rights to vacancies in other DOD activities and priority for reemployment. They will also be advised of retraining programs which are available.

Travel and transportation expenses will be allowed for career employees who must be relocated to other geographical areas.

STREET SINGERS

STREET MUSIC such as this is common in Holland, and is part of the special two-hour travel film "Holiday in Holland" to be shown Friday at the Sunset Auditorium in Carmel. The film's producer, Willis Butler, will narrate the 8:15 p.m. showing.

Coalition To Meet Jan. 20

The Seaside Coalition urges residents concerned about their city to attend its next meeting Jan. 20 at 8 p.m. at Hays CME Chapel, 625 Elm.

The Coalition, formed by citizens of Seaside concerned with the lack of civic togetherness, has pledged itself to seek methods of expanding jobs and job producing industry, eliminating discrimination in employment, providing adaquate low - cost housing, finding a proper location for a people's library, developing adaquate youth and community facilities.

"It is the hope of the coalition that by bringing citizens together in open discussions, we will all become better informed politically and therby effect the changes necessary to make Seaside a more functional and prosperous city," stated Rev. T.R. McKenney, Cahirman.

League To Look At Polution

The protection of Monterey Bay will be the subject of Thursday's luncheon meeting of the League of Women Voters at 1 p.m. at the Pacific Grove Community Center, Junipero at 14th St.

Questions concerning the use of pesticides and sewage disposal will be discussed. Information related to the responsibilities of protecting Monterey Bay will be presented by the following guests: Dr. Richard Fraser, County Department of Health; John Nail, Monterey City Manager, Ablert Culver, County Agricultural Commissioner; Ken Jones, Regional Water Quality Control Board; and Richard Parrish, Fish and Game Department.

The interested public, League members, and guests are invited to attend.

Reservations for the $2 luncheon at noon, can be made with Mrs. Kennedy White at 624-4538 or the League office at 372-8312. Baby-sitting arrangements will be provided.

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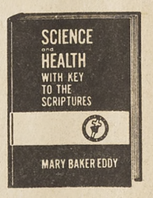

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INITIATES

ELEVEN new members were initiated into American Legion Post 591 of Seaside Jan. 6 by past 28th District Commander John Clements. From left seated are Pete Sanchez, June Chaffee, Jim Davis, Curtis Allbrook and Henry Edwards. Standing, Clements, George Green, Teofilo Acosta, Jose Olivo, Jim Barnes, Ed Porter and Joseph Wiemszyk. John Perkins Photo.

Sees Economic Strength

Northern and Central California business activity will reach moderate new heights in several key sectors, Pacific Gas and Electric Company has forecast in its annual "Market Outlook" study of the 48-county region it serves.

"People make markets," says the publication, estimating a population increase of 145,000 persons in the area this year. PG&E foresees higher total employment, personal income and taxable retail sales accompanying this population growth, exceeding the national averaage rates of gain.

The nation's effort to bring inflation under control will have an important effect on the economy in 1970, the campany notes, adding that this region cannot look to economic developments greatly counter to national business trends and adjustments. After making allowance for this factor of uncertainty PG&E concludes that numerous factors indicate a strong and stable economic environment for Northern and Central California during the next 12 months.

The market analysis is based on local business trend data gathered through 126 PG&E community offices and from many other sources.

Californians are different from other Americans generally in subtle ways, and they create an exceptional market for goods and services of many kinds, the 1970 "Market Outlook" asserts. In vivid photographic montages and a special section it depicts a population that is cosmopolitan, mobile, young, active, well educated, unshackled by tradition and quick to accept innovation.

Citing a long list of products, from color TV to automobile air conditioning, that have gained their first big volume sales in the state, the brochure concludes "Market trends for 1970 and beyond as well as sociological trends can be detected first in California."

Schlarships

The Thrift Shop at Fort Ord, is awarding $500 scholarships to three students to be selected from the graduating class of 1970.

Applicants must be a dependent of active, retired, or deceased Army personel. Scholastic achievement of 3.0 on a 4.0 basis is necessary.

Interested students should contact school counselors for more application details. Deadline for applications is April 15.

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CONSUMER POWER

by YVONNE EARNST

It's the time of year for one of my favorite consumer "soups" -- clearance sales. From experience, I have learned to devote a large part of our family budget for January, February, July and August to genuine clearance sales. This is the time of year when I buy most of the clothing for the entire family, from shoes to pajamas. It is the time of year when I shop in specialty shops and luxury stores, where I cannot afford to pay the regular prices.

I do, however, try to visit these stores between clearance sale months, so that I will be able to recognize a genuinely good buy when I see it. I just exercise strong sales resistance on those visits.

During the month of January, and again in July, it would even be advantageous for you to shop in other nearby towns after you have covered the stores in your immediate area. Even if you have never shopped in the specialty shops in Carmel or the larger stores in Salinas, San Jose or even San Francisco, it would be a good idea to schedule a trip now.

But before starting out, check the budget. You don't want to buy more than you can pay for without incurring credit charges that wipe out your sale savings. Even though I do not bake a habit of allowing things I "charge" to stay on the books more than 30 days, thereby incurring credit charges, I will often stretch this rule in January and July, and allow one month's credit charges if the sale savings are great enough to justify it.

If I charge items now in January, the closing date for "E" names usually being the fourth of the month, I will probably not receive the bill until February 15th. If I pay the bill in full by the first of March, no credit charge is incurred. If I pay part of it then, and the rest by the first of April, I will pay, as a rule, a 1 1/2 % credit charge. And this is my limit. If I have several acounts, I will pay off as many as possible in full, and carry only one or two over that extra month. Get out paper and pencil, and figure out what is most advantageous for you.

If you have BankAmericard, and the stores where you shop accept it, by all means, use it. BankAmericard credit charges are figured on the "unpaid balance" rather than the full "previous month's balance." This can amount to quite a savings. For instance, if you charge $100 total to BankAmericard, and pay $50 the first month, the credit charge added the second month will be 75¢. If you did the same thing with most other department stores or general credit cards, the credit charge would be $1.50.

So, consult your budget, and set your spending limit. When you reach it, regardless of the temptation, it is best to stop shopping.

Next, take out a measuring tape, and take accurate measurements of each member of the family for whom you may be buying clothes, including yourself. (The shock may set everyone to dieting after all that holiday eating.) If there is a chance you may be buying shoes for someone who will not be along on the shopping expedition, note the current shoe size, and make a cut-out tracing of the feet in a standing position. Often, if it is possible to "run interrerence" and check out availability of shoes in the proper sizes, and then bring the family back to try them on. But, I often buy shoes for my children in larger sizes than they currently wear, always buying the same width, but in progressively larger lengths. I know this is not considered ideal by shoe salesmen, but it works well when I stick to standard styles, avoiding stylistic features such as pointed toes. And it is a great ehlp to our budget to be able to buy children shoes at sale prices. I often buy better quality shoes than we could otherwise afford, and find that they usually last longer.

Keep a list of the size you buy for each child and notes on styles and colors so that you will not duplicate your purchases. You may think you will be able to carry this information in your head, but a little notebook is much more trustworthy.

It is a good idea, for that matter, to keep a list of what you buy for each person as you go, so that you can keep such things as color combinations in mind.

Don't become so over-enthusiastic that you snap up purchases without checking them over carefully. As a general rule, there are no refunds on sale merchandise, so make sure that zippers work, that there are no objectionable snags, tears or spiled spots. If there are defects, decide whether or not it is worth it to you to correct the problem. If you don't mind replacing zippers, and know you will get around to doing it before the item is outgrown (I wouldn't), then you may decide to buy it anyway.

Be sure to read hangtags and labels for fabric content and washing instructions. For, if a washable item does not have the permanent press feature, it will probably never reach the cash register. Even if the style and color are tempting, I have finally built up my sales resistance on this point. It is no saving to me if I have to iron it regularly.

Now, are you ready to go shopping? Keep in mind that you are out this month searching for bargains. Try to make sure the sale items are genuine savings. "Special purchases" are sometimes bargains, and sometimes not.

And, if you budget will not allow shopping the clearance sales this month, try to plan ahead for the next big month, which is July, and for next year's January sales.

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Apricot Nectar	46-oz. Can (½-Case of 6 $2.11)	39¢
Prune Juice	Quart Glass (½-Case of 12 $2.11)	39¢
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TOWN HOUSE COLD DAY TREATS

Tomato Soup 10¾-oz. Can (Half-Case of 24 $2.48) **2 for 23¢**

Chicken Noodle	Soup—10½-oz. Can (½-Case of 12 $1.57)	2 for 29¢
Chicken with Rice	Soup—10½-oz. Can (½-Case of 12 $1.57)	2 for 29¢
Cream of Chicken	Soup—10½-oz. Can (½-Case of 12 $1.57)	2 for 29¢
Vegetable Soup	10½-oz. Can (½-Case of 12 $1.35)	2 for 25¢
Vegetable Beef Soup	10½-oz. Can (½-Case of 12 $1.89)	2 for 35¢
Corned Beef Hash	15¼-oz. Can (½-Case of 12 $4.21)	39¢
Hot Chili with Beans	15-oz. Can (½-Case of 12 $3.60)	3 for $1
Regular Chili Beans	15-oz. Can (½-Case of 12 $3.60)	3 for $1
Corned Beef	(½-Case of 12 $6.26)—12-oz. Can	58¢

TOWN HOUSE VEGETABLES

Golden Cream Corn 16-oz. Can (Half-Case of 12 $1.80) **6 for $1**

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Green Beans	Cut, Reg. or French Style—16-oz. (½-Case of 12, $2.16)	20¢
Sweet Peas	(½-Case of 12 $2.16)—16-oz.	20¢
Spinach	(½-Case of 12, $1.51)—15-oz.	14¢
Asparagus	Green, Cut Spears—15-oz. (½-Case of 12, $3.56)	33¢

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Apricot Halves	Unpeeled—30-oz. (½-Case of 12, $4.21)	39¢
Peaches	Elberta, Freestone, Halves or Sliced (½-Case of 12, $2.43)—16-oz.	2 for 45¢
Grapefruit	Section—16-oz. (½-Case of 12, $3.20)	3 for 89¢
Applesauce	Gravenstein—15-oz. Glass (½-Case of 6, $1.08)	5 for $1

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Multiple Vitamins	Safeway 250-Count	$1.98
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Vitamin C	Safeway, 100 mg.—100-Count	44¢
Multiple Vitamins	With Iron, Safeway 250-Count	$2.05
Multiple Vitamins	With Iron, Safeway 100-Count	79¢
Toothbrushes	Youth or Oval, Medium—Each	33¢
Toothbrushes	With Rubber Tips, Gentle or Firm Safeway—Each	46¢
Toothbrushes	Pepsodent, Adult Straight Line Medium, Hard, or Soft—Each	42¢
Gleem Toothpaste	3¼-oz.	49¢
Gleem Toothpaste	5-oz. Tube	63¢
Gleem Toothpaste	6¾-oz. Tube	69¢
Scope Mouthwash	Family Size 12c Off—17-oz.	$1.07

Prune Juice
Town House—Quart Bottle
SUPER SAVER
39¢
(½-Case of 12..$2.11)

DISCOUNT PRICES
DAIRY

Cheese	Safeway Longhorn, Half Moon Random Weight Chunks—95c Per Lb.	95¢
Salads	Lucerne—Cole Slaw, Health, Macaroni, or Potato—Pint	39¢
Large Grade AA Eggs	Cream O' The Crop—Dozen	62¢
Concentrated Milk	Lucerne—½-Gal.	$1.29

Lucerne Sherbet
All Flavors
Quart
SUPER SAVER
39¢

DISCOUNT PRICES
HOUSEHOLD NEEDS

Detergent	White Magic, With Enzymes 49-oz. Package	63¢
Aluminum Foil	Kitchen Craft 12-Inch x 25-Foot Roll	22¢
Su-Purb Detergent	Green Liquid—32-oz.	63¢
Paper Towels	Truly Fine, Pink, Yellow, White 175 Sheets	29¢
Pres-To-Logs	6-Log Pack	85¢
Oak Fireplace Logs	¾-Cu. Ft. Box 16-Inch Length	93¢
Glad Bags	Food Storage—50-Count	59¢
Glad Wrap	100-Foot Roll	29¢

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COFFEES

Edwards Coffee	3-lb. Can	$1.89
Hills Bros Coffee	1-lb. Can (2-lb. Can $1.45)	73¢
Tasters Choice	Freeze Dried—8-oz. Jar (4-oz. Jar 99c)	$1.58
Hills Bros Instant Coffee	10-oz. Jar	$1.20
Safeway Instant Coffee	10-oz. Jar	$1.09

DISCOUNT PRICES

Fruit Cocktail
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DISCOUNT PRICES
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Highway Beans	Red Kidney, Light or Dark 15-oz. Can	15¢
Garbanzo Beans	Highway—15-oz. Can	14¢
Pinto Beans	Highway—15-oz. Can	12¢
Dry Lima Butter Beans	Highway Cooked—15-oz.	15¢
Chili Beans	Highway, Mexican Style—15-oz.	14¢
Black Eye Peas	Highway, Cooked Dry—15-oz.	14¢
Pork & Beans	Highway—16-oz.	14¢

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D'Anjou Pears	Choice Northwest Fruit—Lb.		19¢
Cherry Tomatoes	Plump & Ripe—12-oz. Basket—Each		29¢
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Mixed Vegetables	10-oz. Package	30¢
Green Peas	10-oz. Package	30¢

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Orange Juice	Sweetened or Unsweetened 6-oz. Can	25¢
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Perch Fillets	Captain's Choice, Pre-Cooked—Lb.	69¢
Gulf Shrimp	Captain's Choice, Pre-Cooked—Lb.	$1.63
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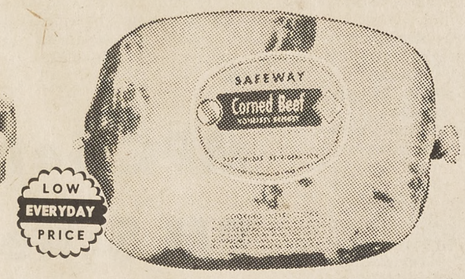

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ROASTS
Whole or Half Fresh—Lb. **58¢**

Ground Beef

Regular Grind Fresh & Lean—Lb. **58¢**

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Smoked, Whole or Piece—Lb. **62¢**
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DISCOUNT PRICES

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Cookies	Busy Baker, Oatmeal-Raisin—1¼-lb. Pkg.	49¢
Coconut Cookies	Busy Baker—1¼-lb. Pkg.	49¢
Sugar Cookies	Busy Baker—1¼-lb. Package	49¢
Chocolate Chip Cookies	Busy Baker 1¼-lb. Pkg.	49¢

Cream of Mushroom Soup

Town House—10½-oz.
SUPER SAVER **2 for 29¢**
(½-Case of 12..$1.57)

DISCOUNT PRICES

MISCELLANEOUS

Diet Style Bread	Skylark, Light or Dark 1-lb. Loaf	31¢
Ovenjoy Bread	Round Top or Sandwich 1½-lb. Loaf	31¢
Dog Food	Pooch, Dry—10-lb. Bag	$1.19
Long Grain Rice	Town House—5-lb. Pkg. (½-Case, 3 Pkgs. $2.40)	89¢
Safeway Corn Flakes	18-oz. Package	39¢
Lucerne Dry Milk	Makes 20 Quarts	$2.10
Instant Rice	Town House—24-oz. Package (½-Case, 12 Packages $3.19)	59¢
Instant Breakfast	Lucerne—6-Pack	56¢
Italian Dressing	Mrs. Wright's—8-oz.	24¢
Strawberry Preserves	Empress—20-oz.	79¢
Whole Sweet Pickles	Zippy Pint Glass	46¢
Lucerne Coffee Tone	11-oz.	63¢
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Variety Pak Lunch Meat	Square & Round 12-oz. Package	96¢
Sliced Bacon	Oscar Mayer, Vac Pak—1-lb. Package	94¢
Manor House Fryers	Cut Up and Split Fresh-Frozen—Lb.	40¢

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Danola Sliced Ham	4-oz. Package	59¢
All Meat Franks	Armour—1-lb. Package	69¢
Tyson's Pride Ducklings	3½-lbs.—Each	$2.18
Fried Chicken	Eden Farm—Lb.	95¢

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BOB WOOD REPORTS

A Weekly Column By The 34th District Assemblyman

Although my memory isn't too good, wasn't there something in our high school physics book that quoted some scientist as saying "no object can freeze when placed on a body of moving water"? Last Monday night I found out this statement is wholly untrue. I slept on my second-hand boat, moored on the Sacramento River (which is certainly a moving body of water), and I darn near froze to death.

—I think the average mean temperature that day in Sacramento was 41 degrees. My wife Betsy came up the next day and we moved to a motel and I had a chance to thaw out. However, I now have a far greater respect for Admiral Byrd. I think he was the explorer whose boat became stuck in the ice somewhere near the South Pole for several months and he and his men still managed to survive.

—(I feel I now have a little in common with the late Admiral Bryd.)

I came face to face with the generation gap the other night when I returned home from Sacramento. Our teen-age daughter happened to notice in the local paper where Senator Grunsky and I introduced a bill to give the local government complete jurisdiction over a rock festival or any other gayhering that contemplates bringing together thousands upon thousands of people into our county, or into any other county. Her remark was: "Gosh, Dad, what's the matter with you? Are you getting so old you don't like music anymore?" For a minute I was speechless. Maybe it was because her mother and I have always enjoyed good music and still enjoy dancing to good music although I notice the length of time between such occasions becomes farther and farther apart.

I can't help but feel that we as parents are going to have to explain as best we can that a rock festival sponsored by a profit-motivated group, attended by thousands who are mostly migrants and strangers to our county, is far different from a well-organized music festival where the sole purpose of the gathering is the appreciation of music. By the sheer weight of numbers alone, for rock festival purposes or any other purposes, huge crowds become unmanageable and no parent wants to expose his son or daughter to the dangers involved. The Woodstock, New York and Altamont, California rock festivals proved beyond a doubt that the moral dangers involved are far greater than the actual danger of being trampled by an overburdonsome crowd.

Out of respect to the large numbers of our young people who honestly would like to attend a music festival for appreciation of music only, I do think the interest shown will help make many of us (including some of us lawmakers) realize that there may be a need for musical festivals that could be held on a smaller scale, under good management, in areas provided for gatherings, such as open-air or closed stadiums, where music is the sole objective.

However, sometimes we as parents are going to have to stand up and be counted and I personally feel this is one of those times. Our children may not appreciate our stand until years later, but when the end results of such a huge gathering begin to penetrate their young minds, and the day comes when they have children of their own, I think the majority of them will thank us for our more mature approach to the problem and the stand that most of us parents are taking.

Enough for now. . .

Bob Wood

Seek Maritime Candidates

There is still time to apply for nomination as candidates for Assemblyman Bob Wood's appointment to the California Maritime Academy.

Under the provisions of state law, each State Senator and Stte Assemblyman representing an even-numbered district has an appointment available to the Academy for the class entering in August 1970.

From among Assemblyman Wood's nominees, the candidate standing highest among such nominees in the entrance competition, if in all respects qualified, will become the appointee from the 34th Assembly District.

Additional appointments may be made from among Assemblyman Wood's nominees depending on their relative standings in the general entrance competition and on the number of vacancies.

The State-operated California Maritime Academy is located in Vallejo on the north shore of the Carquinez Strait. Over a three-year period of residence the Academy trains and educates young men as officers of the American Merchant Marine. The graduate receives his federal license as a Third Officer.

To be eligible for admission, a candidate must be a male citizen of the United States, a high school graduate, unmarried, not under 17 nor yet 22 years of age, of good character, and he must meet prescribed mental and physical requirements. Eligibility is not dependent on race, color, creed or national origin.

Costs of attendance at the Academy are borne by the State, the Federal Government and the student.

It is essential that prospective candidates take College Entrance Examination Board tests not later than the March administration of these tests. The required tests are the Acholastic Aptitude Test - Verbal, the Scholastic Aptitude Test - Mathematics, the Achievement Tests in English Composition and in Mathematics.

Those interested in receiving nomination as candidates should contact the office of Assemblyman Wood at 32 East Alisal St., Salinas, before Feb.1.

Your Social Security

Glen Strader first applied for Social Security benefits in February 1964, claiming disability since March 1962. The claim was denied. A second claim was filed in September 1965 and was again rejected. A third claim was initiated in October 1967 and it also was rejected.

A fourth claim was started April 16, 1969 and again denied. Strader then asked for a reconsideration of the denial. The appeal upheld the fourth denial.

Believing the appeal to be incorrect, Strader asked for another review. A hearing was held in Monterey n October 1969 at which he appeared and testified. His condition at the time of his last application was disregarded. Instead, the Hearings Examiner appraised Strader's medical records beginning March 1962, the date he was first injured.

Because of the statutory time limits imposed on the filing for a reconsideration, hearings, or appeals council review, an individual may lose his right to a review. As Strader did not choose to follow the appeals process in the first three claims, the Social Security Administration could only fo back to the second application filed in September 1965 and grant benefits starting in April 1966.

Strader wondered about the many other disabled people who also did not bother to appeal a denial of their Social Security claim. "If my hearing had been denied' he said, "the next step would be to take my case to the appeals council, an entirely independent unit within the administration that considered my original claim."

Fred Young, Manager of the Monterey Social Security office, stated that social security claims are confidential. However, Strader consented to the release of his story to help the administration advise people about the appelate process any claimant should pursue, when his claim is denied.

Free 'U' Meet

The Monterey Peninsula Free University, anticipating a second semester after its beginning last fall with over 900 participants, has announced a meeting for prospective group leaders on Thursday, in Room H-105 at Monterey Peninsula Coolege.

A group leader is defined as "a person who is knowledgeable on a subject - andy subject - and would like to share his ideas and talents with others. He is also a person who realizes that the participants in his group - as well as he - may have something to teach."

Groups usually meet in private homes, once a week or more often. There is no enrollment fee, and leaders volunteer their time.

MPC Sets PM Schedule

Several new evening courses will be offered at Monterey Peninsula College among the over 150 scheduled for the spring semester.

Some of the new courses have been designed for the evening only. Others are courses here tofore offered only under the daytime curriculum.

One course - The History of Art in California - has been established to coincide with Bicentennial activities this year only, unless popular demand should dicate its continuance in later semesters.

Other new courses are Aviation Meteorology, History of Contemporary Political problems of Black Americans, Film Survey, The Drama as Literature, and History of Russia from 1917 to Present.

Mail registration, now being conducted, will continue through Friday. In order to take advantage of this system, persons planning to enroll may request by phone (375-9821) or pick up at the MPC administration building a brochure of course listings containing official registration material. The application form may then be either completed on the spot and handed to a clerk or mailed in before the deadline date.

Officials recommend registering by mail in preference to registering on campus on the evenings of Jan. 28,29, and 30.

NUPTIALS

Miltie Vega, daughter of Mrs. Adelina Vega, 1008 Hamilton Ave., Seaside, became the bride of St. Stephen Thomas Reilly, son of Mrs. Walter P. Reilly, Orange, New Jersey, Dec. 20,at a 5 p.m. ceremony at the Ft. Ord. Post Chapel. Father Paul T. Twiddy officiated.

The bride carried a cascade bouquet of white roses with a shower of white Pico Ribbon. Her dress was of chantilly lace with floor length gown and fitted bonice and crescent line waist with a chapel train. Her veil of silk illusion was held with a chantilly lace and seed pearl crown.

Matron oh honor was Mrs. Victor DeLaCuesta of Del Rey Oaks. She was sttended by Mildred Vega, the bride's sister, Seaside, Cecilia Rubio, Del Rey Oaks, Mrs. Angel Vega and Joanna Vega of Monterey. Brother and Ssister of the bride, Peter and Mirna, were ring bearer and flower girl.

Joseph MicKey, of New Jersey, was best man. Ushers were Nelson and Alden Vega, brothers of the bride, and Capt. Stacy Garrett, Virginia, John R. Lewis, Concord Calif.

The couple will make their home at Ft. Ord. The bride is an honor student at MPC and the former Miss Seaside. The groom received his B.S. in Education from Seaton Hall University. Photographs are by John Perkins.

Computerized Camping

If the first day is any indication, the the State Department of Parks and Recreation's new computerized campground reservation system is going to be a resounding success.

Parks and Recreation Director William Penn Mott Jr. notes that at the completion of the first full day of business Jan. 5, there were 9,350 campsite reservations taken at the various Computicket outlets throughout the state for a total of $58,367.

Mott noted that the pattern of reservations is following that of the last two years when reservations were made by mail directly to the parks. Coastal parks, particularly those in the southern part of the state, are getting the heaviest pressure.

Some of these, Mott said, already have several weekends and holiday periods booked solid. These include Seacliff, Doheny, San Clement, and San Elijo State Beaches.

The new computerized campground reservation system will give a tremendous break to the prospective camper, Moot said. Now, when a park is reserved for a particular date, the camper can ask for and get immediate information about different dates or about other state park campgrounds.

Mott urged campers to keep in mind that the inland areas, northern coastal and redwood parks, and mountain parks also offer outstanding vacation and camping opportunities. They traditionally get less pressure than the southern coastal parks, and often have spaces available when these parks are filled.

Reservations may be made by mail to the Department of Parks and Recreation, P.O. Box 2390, Sacramento 9581l.

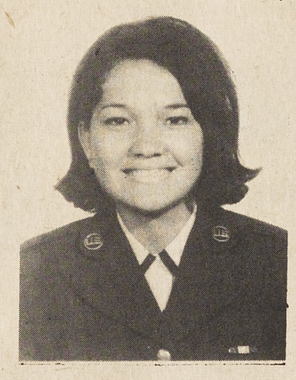
Insurance costs only 1.4 cents of the total 11 cents per mile needed to operate an automobile. The car owners pays more for parking and tolls than he does for auto insurance.

Men In Service

Airman Apprentice Scott C. Hutchins, son of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Charles F. Hutchins of 4 Yerba Buena Ct., has graduated from the Aviation Maintenance Administrationman Course at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Memphis, Tenn.

SFC David L. Pressley, whose wife Geneva, lives in Seaside, has received a third award of the Bronze Star Medal near Tay Ninh, Vietnam. Sgt. Pressley was presented the award for meritorious service in connection with military opertions against hostile forces in Vietnam while assigned as a mess steward in the 2nd Battalion, 34th Armor of the 25th Infantry Division.

Sgt. John R. Stanfield, son of Mrs. Myrtle L. Anderson of 655 Palm Ave., is a member of a unit that has earned the U.S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award for the second time. Stanfield, a missile maintenance technician in the 395th Strategic Missile Squadron at Vandenberg AFB, Calif., will wear a distinctive service ribbon to mark his affiliation with the unit.



CHARLENE Freitas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M.O. Pascual, 1960 Luxton St., Seaside, has completed Air Force basic training and has been assigned to Sheppard AFB, Texas for further study. She is a 1969 graduate of Seaside High School.

Sgt. Robert Foreman Jr., whose wife, Gudrun, lives in Seaside, has been assigned to the lst Cavalry Division (Airmobile) in Vietnam as a platoon sergeant.

Boilerman Second Class Stanley J. Pysik Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley J. Pysik Sr. of 2040 Waring St., is serving aboard the aircraft carrier USS Midway. The ship is scheduled to be recommissioned in San Francisco in January next year.

SFC. Percy Young, whose wife, Clara, lives in Seaside has received the Bronze Star Medal in Vietnam.

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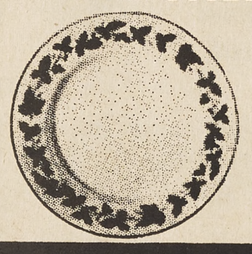

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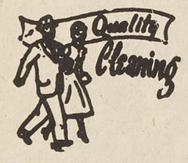

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Roy Addresses MPC Class

Jimmy Roy, the program administrator for Young Adults For Action, told the Monterey Peninsula College racism class, laxt week:

"When blacks were tugging at the coat tails of whites, begging for acceptance into the main-stream of this American way of life, we were rejected. Now that blacks are uniting together, we are still being rejected, but this form of rejection is a welcomed form of rejection by blacks because it is an indication of progress at our own rate".

"For years we had to be content with the white man's pace of progress for blacks, now it is up to us. The faster we become aware of the need for unity, the faster we shall move toward self independence."

Roy indicated Young Adults For Action is doing all it can to wake up the entire community for the need of unity. "YAFA is expending its energies toward developing programs that are designed to create employment opportunities for the low-income or no-income residents of Seaside, he said.

When asked by one of the students if YAFA helped whites as well as blacks, Roy stated, "To direct our efforts to improve the overall conditions which are deplorable in the heavily populated black community of Seaside, there would be automatic help for the whites who are swallowed up in the same ghetto."

"The same rats and roaches that crawl in the black houses of Seaside crawl in the white neighbors houses. Our object is to clean up Seaside and make it a decent place to live for anyone who desires to live here," he added.

In response to another question regarding YAFA's political affiliation to the upcoming city elections, Roy commented, "We are aware of the power structure that runs our present city government and we are not satisfied, and it is our perogative to be dissatisfied. We feel a city this size should have such basic facilities as a community recreation center, a park or playground for our youth, a skill center to give our youngsters an opportunity to learn trades, more on-the-job training programs, adequate street lighting and sidewalks, and at least a movie theater."

In regards to the specific feeling toward Councilman Stephen Ross, a Negro, who has announced his candidacy to run for the mayor's seat, Roy stated emphatically, "We're for him".

Roy holds certificates from the University of California (Berkeley) in Business Management and Advertising. He is the Secretary on the Board of Directors for the Monterey County Legal Aid Society, and he is also a Deputy Probation Officer Aide for the County of Monterey.

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WHO CARES BY M.J. VERCOE

Are you skilled at sifting evidence? If two people give you two different versions of something that is simple enough to have just one correct version, can you tell which of them is correct, assuming that one of them is correct?

If you follow the news media accounts of local, national and international events, then you are being fed a continual diet of conflicting versions. One "expert" or authority will make a statement to the press that directly conflicts with another equally expert opinion. And you, as an average citizen, have the choice of trying to decide who was wrong or deliberately lying, or else just forget the whole thing.

All of which does not contribute to a "well informed public."

One economic expert tells us our economy is not in trouble; another, that it is. A Tel Aviv source tells us Israeli planes bombed Egyptian positions and returned safely. Cairo tells us the planes missed their targets and some were shot down. A water quality control board claims that a local city is polluting Monterey Bay beyond permissible limits. The city claims the pollution comes, in part at least, from another city. Who is correct?

Within a period of 12 hours, a high Pentagon official assures us that infiltration from North Vietnam is at a standstill, and an "informed source" in Vietnam tells us that infiltration has doubled.

Our President tells us we can withdraw our forces from Vietnam, because the South Vietnamese will take over the load as our men leave. A reasonably intelligent Congressman, Sen. William Fulbright, D-Ark., informs us that this idea lacks realism; in that the South Vietnamese have yet to indicate anything more than a slight interest in fighting their own war.

Who are we to believe?

The Federal Reserve Board has permitted repeated increases in interest rates. It justifies this as a means of holding back inflation. Rep. Wright Patman, D-Tex., Chairman of the House Banking Committee, states flatly that the increases were made for the express purpose of boosting banking industry profits, and that inflation is made worse by the rate increases.

In August, 1964, our administration informed us that two American destroyers were attacked by North Vietnamese gunboats, and Congress gave President Johnson a blank check to virtually declare war on North Vietnam. Several years later a Congressional investigation determined that the attack had never occurred. Whom do we believe, the Pentagon or the Congressmen?

A judge in a courtroom has a simple task when compared with that of a citizen trying to keep himself informed on today's issues. The judge can at least penalize a lying witness in his court, but a high public official or other news source can lie with impunity.

The net result is a world with a tremendous communication technology, but a sadly misinformed population. When we consider that the quality of our leadership depends heavily upon the intelligence and concern and awareness of our electorate, then we can understand why our leadership often leaves something to be desired. How can a voter vote properly if he has been prevented from knowing the true nature of the issues at stake, and has been convinced that a candidate is something he is not.

Never have so many known so little about so much, and our future in a world loaded with urgent problems that need, above all, honest appraisal—this future—is not particularly bright.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENGAGE IN THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

To Whom It May Concern:

Subject to issuance of the license applied for, notice is hereby given that the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages at the premises, described as follows:
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Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control for issuance by transfer of an alcoholic beverage license for these premises as follows:
ON SALE BEER

Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such license may file a verified protest with any office of the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, within 30 days of the date the proposed premises were first posted, stating grounds for denial as provided by law. The premises are now licenses for the sale of alcoholic beverages. The form of verification may be obtained from any office of the Department.

Dionysius Costello

Publish January 14, 1970

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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE COUNTY OF MONTEREY
No. M 4649
SUMMONS
(EMINENT DOMAIN)
(CCP 1245)

REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY OF THE CITY OF SEASIDE, a public body, corporate and politic,
Plaintiff, vs.
(re Lot 2396, Block 34)
ELLA FINKELSTEIN, also known as ELLA F. ESTESS - Owner;
(re Lots 2270 & 2272, Block 32)
VIRGIL L. JEPPSEN - Owner;
(re Lot 1448, Block 21)
THE HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF JOSE SERRA, DECEASED, AND ALL PERSONS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH OR UNDER SAID DECEDENT, AND CONCHA SERRA - Owners;
(re Lots 2021, 2023, 2025 & 2027, Block 29)
THE HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF JANE R. ELLENWOOD, DECEASED, AND ALL PERSONS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH OR UNDER SAID DECEDENT - Owners;
ALL PERSONS UNKNOWN CLAIMING ANY TITLE OR INTEREST IN OR TO THE DESIRED PROPERTY: DOE ONE through DOE TEN;
Defendants.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
To each of the defendants named in the complaint filed in the above-entitled action:

This action is brought to condemn and take for public use the real property situated in the City of Seaside, County of Monterey, State of California, described as follows:

Lot 2396, Block 34, as shown on map entitled "Del Monte Heights Map No. 3," filed January 8, 1909, in Volume 2, Page 12, Maps, Monterey County.

Lots 2270 and 2272, Block 32, as shown on map entitled "Del Monte Heights Map No. 3," filed January 8, 1909, in Volume 2, Page 12, Maps, Monterey County.

Lot Numbered 1448 in Block Numbered 21, as said Lot and Block are shown on that certain map entitled, "Map No. 3 of Del Monte Heights, being a Re-Subdivision of Blocks 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and Reservation, Villa Subdivision of Lots 2 & 3 of the Noche Buena Rancho, Monterey County, Calif.", filed for record January 8, 1909 in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Monterey, State of California, in Volume 2 of Maps, "Cities and Towns", at page 12.

Lots Numbered 2021, 2023, 2025 and 2027 in Block Numbered 29, as said Lots and Block are shown on that certain map entitled, "Map No. 3 of Del Monte Heights, being a Re-Subdivision of Blocks 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and Reservation, Villa Subdivision of Lots 2 & 3 of the Noche Buena Rancho, Monterey County, Calif.", filed for record January 8, 1909 in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Monterey, State of California, in Volume 2 of Maps, "Cities and Towns", at page 12.

The public use for which said real property is sought is for redevelopment purposes.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified to appear and show cause why the property described should not be condemned as prayed for in the complaint, within ten (10) days after the service upon you of this summons, if served within this County; or within thirty (30) days, if served elsewhere.

You are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above-required, said plaintiff will apply to the Court for relief demanded in the complaint.

(SEAL)

You may seek the advice of an attorney on any matter connected with the complaint or this summons. Such attorney should be consulted within the time limit stated in this summons for filing a written pleading to the complaint.
EMMET G. McMENAMIN, Clerk
By C.E. COLEMAN
Deputy Clerk
Dated: JAN 2 1970
NOTICE TO THE PERSON SERVED (Secs. 410 and 474 C.C.P.):
You are hereby served in the within action (or proceeding) in each capacity checked below:
On behlaf of _____ as a person upon whom the summons and a copy of the complaint must be served to effect service against said party under the provisions of Code of Civil Procedure Section:
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You are also served as an individual.
As (or on behalf of) the person sued under the ficitious name of ___.

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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE COUNTY OF MONTEREY
No. M 4642
CITATION

In the matter of the Petition to declare SEAN BULLOCK free of the custody and control of his parent

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, To LUCY DIANE BULLOCK

YOU ARE HEREBY CITED to appear and attend a session of the above entitled court to be held on February 13, 1970 at 9:00 A.M., in the courtroom 4 of said court, at Monterey Courthouse, in the city of Monterey, California, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why SEAN BULLOCK should not be declared free of the custody and control of his parent.
Dated January 5, 1970
EMMET G. McMENAMIN, Clerk
By MARY A. PREHODEN
Deputy Clerk
(SEAL)
Publish January 14, 21, 28 & February 4, 1970

LEGAL NOTICE

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
On Monday, the 26th day of January, 1970, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., in the lobby of the office of the COAST COUNTIES LAND TITLE COMPANY, 439 Tyler Street, in the City of Monterey, County of Monterey, State of California, COAST COUNTIES INVESTMENT COMPANY, as Trustee, will sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States, the following described real property situate in the City of Seaside, County of Monterey, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point One Hundred and Sixteen feet North and 120 feet West of the Southeast corner of Lot 13, Block 4 of Lots 2 and 3 as per survey of W.C. Little, C.E. March 1906, of that portion of the Rancho Noche Buena, known as the Villa Subdivision of Lots 2 and 3 of the Rancho Noche Buena, the property of the Del Rey Development Company, and designated and delineated on Official Map of said survey filed August 30, A.D., 1906 and of record in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Monterey, State of California; thence 100 feet North; thence 60 feet West; thence 100 feet South; thence 60 feet East to the point of beginning.

Being a portion of said Lot 13. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligations secured by, and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in a certain Deed of Trust, executed by RICHARD L. ANDERSON and CORALEE B. ANDERSON, his wife as Trustor, to COAST COUNTIES INVESTMENT COMPANY, a California corporation, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of CARMEL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION, a corporation dated February 24, 1964, and recorded February 26, 1964, in Reel 289, at Page 331, Official Records of Monterey County, California.
Notice of default of said obligation and election to sell said real property was recorded in the office of the County Recorder of said Monterey County on the 22nd day of September, 1969, in Reel 621, at Page 1001, Official Records of Monterey County, California. Nothing has been paid on account of the principal or interest on said loan subsequent to the filing of said Notice of Default.
This notice is given in compliance with the written application heretofore made on the Trustee by the said Beneficiary.
The owner and holder of the promissory note and the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, or any other person may purchase at said sale.
DATED: December 24, 1969
(SEAL)
COAST COUNTIES INVESTMENT COMPANY
BY: /s/ Sally McCreery
Sally McCreery - Secretary
Publish: December 31, 1969 and January 7, 14 and 21, 1970.
Monterey—COAST COUNTIES LAND COMPANY—Salinas

LEGAL NOTICE

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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE COUNTY OF BUTTE
No. #49662
SUMMONS
(General)
GEORGE CURRIER, HENRY CURRIER, and W.R. BOLES, General Partners, doing business as CURRIER'S APPLIANCE
Plaintiff (s) vs.
RONNIE J. DUNCAN
Defendant

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA to the above named Defendant:

You are directed to file with the clerk of this court in which the above entitled action is brought a written pleading in response to the complaint within ten days after the service on you of this summons, if served within the above named county, or within thirty days if served elsewhere (except that if the action is against the state pursuant to Section 738.5 of the Code of Civil Procedure, within 180 days). You are notified that unless you so file a written responsive pleading, the plaintiffs will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

You may seek the advice of an attorney on any matter connected with the complaint or this summons. Such attorney should be consulted within the time limit stated in this summons for filing a written pleading to the complaint.

CLARK A. NELSON County Clerk and Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California for the County of Butte.
By L. CRONENBERGER
Deputy Clerk
(SEAL)
Dated July 25, 1969

NOTICE TO THE PERSON SERVED (Secs. 410 and 474 C.C.P.):
You are hereby served in the within action (or proceeding) in each capacity checked below:
On behlaf of _____ as a person upon whom the summons and a copy of the complaint must be served to effect service against said party under the provisions of Code of Civil Procedure Section:
411 (1) (as against a domestic corporation)
411 (2) (as against a foreign corporation, or nonresident joint stock company or association, doing business in this state)
411 (2.1) (as against a partnership or other unincorporated association)
411 (2.2) (as against a foreign partnership)
You are also served as an individual.
As (or on behalf of) the person sued under the ficitious name of ___.

Publish January 14, 21, 28 & February 4, 1970.

LEGAL NOTICE

Mid-County Title Company
P.O. Box 2197
Monterey, California
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
On Thursday, the 22nd day of January, 1970, at the hour of 10:00 A.M., at Mid-County Title Company, 60 Bonifacio Plaza, Monterey, County of Monterey, State of California, Mid-County Investment Company, as Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, real property situate in the City of Seaside, County of Monterey, State of California, and described as follows:

Lots 12 and 14, in Block I, as shown on "Map No. 5 of DEL MONTE HEIGHTS," etc., filed August 4, 1909, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Monterey, State of California, and now on file in said Office in Map Book Two, "Cities and Towns", at page 15 therein.

The sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession, or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain deed of trust executed by The Kimball Seaside Co., as Trustor, to Mid-County Investment Company, a Corporation, as Trustee, for benefit and security of Petronella K. Coppage, the named beneficiary, dated October 25, 1968, and recorded November 1, 1968, in Reel 579, Page 658, Official Records of Monterey, California.
Notice of Default and election to sell the described real property under the mentioned Deed of Trust was recorded in Reel 620, Page 983, Official Records of the mentioned County.
Dated: December 12, 1969
MID-COUNTY INVESTMENT COMPANY
/s/ Otto W. Whittington
Otto W. Whittington
Assistant Secretary
Publication Dates: December 31, 1969 January 7 and 14, 1970.

LEGAL NOTICE

WEINGARTEN AND McGINTY
Fremont Professional Center
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Seaside, California 93955
(Telephone; 373-4782)

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NOTICE OF DEFAULT
SAL LA CONDE and JENSEY LA CONDE, his wife, as Beneficiaries under that certain Deed of Trust executed by ANDREW D. LEGGETT, single man, as Trustor, to TITLE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY, a California corporation, as Trustee, and CAROLYN METZ, a widow, as Beneficiary, dated 18 August 1967, and recorded as Instrument No. G - 58488 on 2 October 1967 in Reel 524, page 556, Official Records of Monterey County, California, and re-recorded as Instrument No. G 62994 on 14 November 1967 in Reel 531, page 10, of Official Records of Monterey County, California, which Deed of Trust was assigned by said CAROLYN METZ to SAL LA CONDE and JENSEY LA CONDE, his wife, by that certain Assignment of Deed of Trust dated 1 November 1967 and recorded November 16, 1967 in Reel 531, page 389, Official Records of Monterey County, California, hereby give notice that a breach of the obligation, for which such Deed of Trust is security, has occurred, the nature of such breach being the failure to pay principal and interest thereunder, and that the Beneficiaries elect to sell or cause to be sold the trust property to satisfy that obligation.
Dated: December 23, 1969
/s/ Sal La Conde
SAL LA CONDE
/s/ Jensey La Conde
JENSEY LA CONDE
Beneficiaries
STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
)ss.
COUNTY OF MONTEREY)

On this 23 day of December, 1969, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared SAL LA CONDE and JENSEY LA CONDE, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.
(seal)
/s/ Frances Anderson
FRANCES ANDERSON
Notary Public in and for Said County and State

Publish 1/7, 14,21,28, 1970

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
Loan 61-042012-8
On Friday, January 23, 1970, at 10:30 o'clock a.m. at the Church Street entrance to the Courthouse in the City of Salinas, County of Monterey, State of California, CITIZENS AUXILIARY CORPORATION, a corporation, as Trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following real property, situated in the City of Seaside, County of Monterey, State of California, described as follows:

Lots Numbered 29 and 31 in Block Numbered 12, as said lots and block are shown on that certain map entitled, "Map No. 5 DEL MONTE HEIGHTS, being a Re-subdivision of Blocks 14-15-16-17, Villa Subdivision of Lots 2 and 3 of the Rancho Noche Buena, Surveyed by H.D. Severance, July 1909", filed for record August 4, 1909 in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Monterey, State of California, in Volume 2 of Maps, "Cities and Towns", at Page 15.

Said sale will be made, without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in a certain deed of trust executed by DON R. WILSON and ANGELINE WILSON, his wife, as Trustor, to CITIZENS AUXILIARY CORPORATION, a corporation, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of CITIZENS FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, a corporation, dated Febraury 3, 1969 and recorded February 13, 1969 in the office of the Recorder of the County of Monterey, State of California, in Reel 593 of Official Records, Page 52.
DATED: December 15, 1969
CITIZENS AUXILIARY CORPORATION
By Frank Schomer
Assistant Secretary
ROY D. REESE
Attorney at Law
1 Kearny Street
San Francisco 94108
91544
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LEGAL NOTICE

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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE COUNTY OF MONTEREY
CITY OF SEASIDE, a municipal corporation, Plaintiff,
vs.
(re 1888 Lowell 045-21)
GARY D. WELLS and MARJORIE WELLS, his wife - Owners; MASON-McDUFFIE COMPANY, INC., a corporation, and COAST COUNTIES INVESTMENT COMPANY, a corporation - Trustees; FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION, and GREGORY L. SHANKLE, BERT SAUNDERS JR. and AL COSTA - Beneficiaries;
(1845 Luxton 045-23)
JAMES F. BEECH and ANN BEECH, his wife - Owners;
(re 1812 Luxton 046-23)
ERVIN D. GRAF and ELEANORE GRAF, his wife - Owners; THE SAUNDERS COMPANY, a corporation - Trustee; METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation - Beneficiary;
(re 1400 LaSalle 047-1)
THOMAS EDWARD SCILK - Owner;
(re 1893 Waring 047-20)
STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS, a public body - Owner; LAWRENCE E. GOOD and MARIAN D. GOOD, his wife - Purchasers under Agreement of Sale;
(re Vacant Lot 1700 Block Lowell 086-10) VIRGIL L. JEPPSEN - Owner;
(re 1781 Lowell 086-53) WALTER JAMES JOHNSON, JR. II and MARIAN LORIE JOHNSON, his wife - Owners; COAST COUNTIES INVESTMENT COMPANY, a corporation, and MONTEREY COUNTY TITLE COMPANY, a corporation - Trustees; CARMEL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, a corporation, and DAVID H. GILL - Beneficiaries;
(re Vacant Lot 1700 Block Lowell 087-31) THE HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF JANE R. ELLENWOOD, DECEASED AND ALL PERSONS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH OR UNDER SAID DECEDENT - Owner;
(re Vacant Lot 1700 Block Judson 089-46) GEORGE BROWN and DOROTHY BROWN, his wife - Owners; COAST COUNTIES INVESTMENT COMPANY, a corporation - Trustee; INVESTORS THRIFT, a corporation - Beneficiary;
(re 1701 Waring 089-58)
WALTER J. WYER and BEATRICE WYER, his wife - Owners; COAST COUNTIES INVESTMENT COMPANY, a corporation, and TITLE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY, a corporation - Trustees; CARMEL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, a corporation, and PIODA, LEACH, STAVE, BRYAN & AMES, a partnership - Beneficiaries:
ALL PERSONS UNKNOWN CLAIMING ANY TITLE OR INTEREST IN OR TO THE DESIRED PROPERTY; DOE ONE through DOE TEN; Defendants.
No. M 4640
SUMMONS (EMINENT DOMAIN)
(CCP 1245)

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA to the above named Defendants:

You are directed to file with the Clerk of the Court in which the above entitled action is brought a written pleading in response to the complaint within ten days after the service on you of this summons, if served within the above named county, or within thirty days if served elsewhere (except that if the action is against the State pursuant to Section 738.5 of the Code of Civil Procedure, within 180 days). You are notified that unless you so file a written responsove pleading, the plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.
This proceeding is brought to take for public use the real property situate in the Hannon Project Area, City of Seaside, Monterey County, State of California, specifically described in Exhibit A of the complaint attached hereto and made a part hereof.
The public use for which it is sought is for access of workmen, equipment and materials for construction and maintenance of streets, curbs, sidewalks, planting and utilities and to remove and replace driveways for conformance to street grades.
You may seek the advice of an attorney on any matter connected with the complaint or this summons. Such attorney should be consulted within the time limit stated in this summons for filing a written pleading to the complaint.
Dated: DEC 19 1969
EMMET G. McMENAMIN, Clerk
By: MARY WHITLEY
Deputy Clerk
NOTICE TO THE PERSONS SERVED (Sec. 410 and 474 C.C.P.): You are hereby served in the within action (or proceeding) in each capacity checked below:
On behalf of _____ as a person upon whom the summons and a copy of the complaint must be served to effect service against said party under the provisions of Code of Civil Procedure Section:
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411(2) (as against a foreign corporation, or nonresident joint stock company or association, doing business in this state)
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You are also served as an individual.
As (or on behalf of) the person sued under the fictitious name of _____.
A pleading is a formal allegation of a claim or defense. C.C.P. Sec. 420. It must be in writing, in form pursuant to rule of court, and filed with the clerk of this court, with attorney, accompanied with the necessary fee.

EXHIBIT A
1. DESCRIPTION OF EASEMENTS
The easements herein referred to are for access of workmen, equipment, and materials for construction and maintenance of streets, curbs sidewalks, planting, and utilities and to remove and replace driveways for conformance to street grades.
2. DESCRIPTIONS OF PROPERTY
As shown on map entitled "Map No. 3 of Del Monte Heights," filed for record January 8, 1909, in Volume 2, Page 12, Maps, Monterey County, California.
1800 Block Waring 031-1, Vacant Lot California-American Water Company EASEMENT over the Westerly 2.00 feet of LOTS 1487, 1489, 1491, 1493, and 1495, BLOCK 21.
1888 Lowell 045-21 Gary D. & Marjorie Wells, his wife EASEMENT over the Westerly 2.00 feet of LOTS 1967 and 1969, BLOCK 28.
1800 Block Luxton California-American Water Company EASEMENT over the Westerly 2.00 feet of LOT 1944 and the South 15.00 feet of LOT 1946, BLOCK 28.
1845 Luxton 045-23 James F. & Ann Beech EASEMENT over the Easterly 2.00 feet of LOTS 1948, 1950, and the North 10.00 feet of LOT 1946, BLOCK 28.
1812 Luxton 046-23 Ervin D. & Eleanore Graf EASEMENT over the Westerly 2.00 feet of LOTS 1881 and 1883, BLOCK 27.
1400 LaSalle 047-1 Thomas Edward Scilk EASEMENT over the Westerly 2.00 feet of LOT 1549 and the North 12.5' of LOT 1547, BLOCK 22.
1423 San Pablo 047-11 Secretary of the Dept. of Housing and Urban Development EASEMENT over the Easterly 2.00 feet of LOTS 1500 and 1502, BLOCK 22.
1893 Waring 047-20 Dept. of Veterans' Affairs of State of California EASEMENT over the Easterly 2.00 feet of LOTS 1542, 1544 and 1546, BLOCK 22.
1800 Block Waring 047-24, Vacant Lot Secretary of Dept. of Housing and Urban Development EASEMENT over the Easterly 2.00 feet of LOT 1504, BLOCK 22.
1700 Block Lowell 086-10, Vacant Lot Virgil L. Jeppsen EASEMENT over the Easterly 2.00 feet of LOTS 2270 and 2272, BLOCK 32.
1781 Lowell 086-53 Walter J. Johnson Jr. II & Marian Lorie Johnson EASEMENT over the Easterly 2.00 feet of LOTS 2282 and 2284, BLOCK 32.
1700 Block Lowell 087-31, Vacant Lot Jane R. Ellenwood EASEMENT over the Westerly 2.00 feet of LOTS 2021, 2023, 2025, and 2027, BLOCK 29.
1700 Luxton 088-18 Robert C. & Ingeborg M.C. Hayes EASEMENT over the Westerly 2.00 feet of LOTS 1793 and 1795, BLOCK 26.
1700 Block Judson 089-46, Vacant Lot George & Dorothy Brown EASEMENT over the Westerly 2.00 feet of LOT 1583, BLOCK 23.
1701 Waring 089-58 Walter J. & Beatrice Wyer EASEMENT over the Easterly 2.00 feet of LOTS 1554 and 1556, BLOCK 23.
1423 San Pablo 047-11 Secretary of Dept. of Housing and Urban Development EASEMENT beginning at a point in the Southerly line of Lot 1500, Block 22, from which the southeasterly corner thereof bears East 2.00 feet distant; thence from said point of beginning, and running along a line that is parallel with and distant westerly 2.00 feet, measured at right angles from the easterly line of said Lot (1) North 8.00 feet to a point of cusp; thence leaving said line (2) 12.57 feet along the arc of a tangent curve to the right the center bears West 8.00 feet distant, through a central angle of 90° to said southerly line of said Lot; thence along said line (3) East 8.00 feet to the point of beginning and being a portion of said Lot.
1701 Waring 089-58 Walter J. & Beatrice Wyer EASEMENT beginning at a point in the southerly line of Lot 1554, Block 23, from which the southeasterly corner thereof bears East 2.00 feet distant; thence from said point of beginning, and running along a line that is parallel with and distant westerly 2.00 feet, measured at right angles from the easterly line of said Lot (1) North 8.00 feet to a point of cusp; thence leaving said line (2) Southwesterly, 12.57 feet along the arc of a tangent curve to the right having a radius of 8.00 feet, through a central angle of 90° to said southerly line of said Lot; thence along said line (3) East 8.00 feet to the point of beginning, and being a portion of said Lot.
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HANGUP

It's rather like pulling half a block out of Harlem and dropping it in the middle of Seaside.

But then ask any black man who's been to other places in these United States, and he'll tell you Seaside's Pit is not much different from the one in Oakland, or Fresno or Los Angeles. Just a matter of size.

He'll tell you, too, that the Pit isn't just a place. It's an attitude. It changes from hour to hour. As one young Negro, who recently completed his stint in the Army and now is holding down two nighttime jobs, said: "Every morning after I get off work I come and sit around with the local few. I enjoy it. But I don't come at night; it's too rough."

Another man put it another way: "The Pit is people. It's no unique place. It's typical of this kind of community."

Why is the Pit a problem?

Some will tell you it's because of the black youth who hang around with nothing else to do.

Others will tell you it's because of the adults -- the winos, the retirees, the unemployed, who hang around with nothing else to do.

Others will tell you it's because of the guys who've got something to sell like dope. Someone quoted a youth as having said, "Let me get full of that stuff so I can get mean."

Still others say it's because the Pit represents a kink in the armor of the Seaside police department. It's a threat to established law and order, they say. It's a threat to the safety of the community, they add.

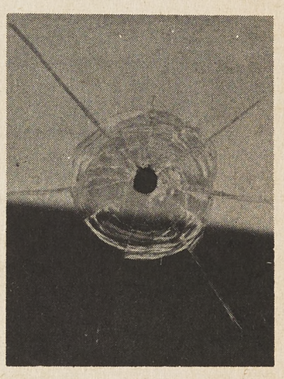
Many will tell you it's simply because the Pit is where most of the trouble, disturbances, melees, or what-have-you start.

And then some will tell you there's no problem.

The Sentinel visited the Pit last Friday morning after Seaside's City Council Thursday night directed the Redevelopment Agency to consider enlarging the Hannon Project to include just the Pit, the shopping center on Broadway, just west of Noche Buena. Mayor Lou Haddad said he would like to see the building converted into a recreational center for youths, or possibly into the area service center for the local Anti-Poverty Council.

When you walk into the Pit at 10 a.m. it becomes clear that it is predominantly a night place. Doc's Liquors is busy stocking up, delivery men in and out. The Cafe on Broadway still hasn't got its doughnuts and sweet rolls yet. Castro's lunch counter is somewhat busy, and so is the barber shop, but Johnie Franklin is just eating his breakfast at his pool hall, Frank's Place.

There's a little talk about the two bullet holes in the plate



glass windows of Cafe on Broadway and Frank's Place. There apparently weren't too many around when the shots were fired the night before. Someone said they came from across Broadway; someone else said they came from a passing car.

John Perkins, Sentinel Photographer, and I stopped first at the east end of the Pit, Doc's Liquors. We asked James E. Ross, behind the counter, about the council's action. "It might force me to lose my job...but if they clean it up, yeh, I guess it's okay. What they need to do is find someplace for the youngsters."

Dick McCormick of Salinas, who own's the liquor store, said he'd go along with redeveloping the center if the agency allowed him to set up shop somewhere else in the area, and paid him relocation. "After all, my business has gone downhill for the last two years." Why, we asked. In a sweeping arm gesture, he said, "Conditions, you know what I mean, and the kids. Decent people are afraid to come in here." What about his customers, winos? "A lotta guys are okay. They're retired army with nothing else to do."

"I'll tell you one thing. If they move me out, I'll never go into another shopping center. I can't get any cooperation out of the other merchants." He contended he would have no trouble if his store were by itself, because he could keep the area clear of loiterers.

Next door at Cafe on Broadway, Chris Jenkins, a retiree, was holding down the fort while Gloria Rutherford, the waitress, was out getting some doughnuts and rolls. As she returned Mrs. L. M. Mitchell, owner of a kitchen across from the Pit, came in for a cup. We asked them all about closing the Pit.

"It's the only place for us to go, really," Gloria said. "It's the only recreation for young kids. I don't know, but I'll tell you if they do close it down the kids'll find another place."

"If they'd bring that service center up here, that'd be fine," Mrs. Mitchell said. "It's too far, way down there on Del Monte, for nine and ten year olds."

"But I don't know," she added. "Seem's like everytime you get something going, they come in and tear it down."

"Talks all right," Jenkins chimed in. "But then they don't do nothin'. They get the good things for the white people, but then they do some junk for the colored. They ought to leave it alone."

"If they don't," Mrs. Mitchell said, "they (kids) will tear it down for them."

Juan Castro, next door at his lunch counter, wasn't too sure about tearing down the Pit. "If they give me my money back, all right, but they'll have to move me close by." Why? "These are my friends, and they're my business, my living."

"If they tear it down, it'll mean more trouble . . . I don't know."

Larry McNeal was having a sandwich. He's young, in the Army. He didn't agree that the troubled reputation of the Pit was justified. "It's what you make of it. Come in here looking for trouble, and you'll get it...I come in here and have a nice time."

Mortie Quarles, a letter carrier, asked, in a challenging tone: "Who's going to pay for it? Redevelopment, no sir...you mean they're going to close it down on the taxpayers' money. They should make it off limits to certain ages, then close down those places that sell to the underage kids."

He opposes turning it into a recreation center. "The location is wrong. It would be predominantly Negro and that would reflect on the whole city."

As Clarence Ross walked by, he said, in a loud voice, "They can come in here and bulldoze it to the ground, or even if they try to make something else out of it...no matter, this still will be the Pit."

"They're just stirring up a hornet's nest to kill a bee," Ross, an unemployed cook, said.

"What we need is to communicate with these kids. They ought to pick out the worst kids and make them police themselves... fight fire with fire ...then you won't have any trouble."

Outside again things were beginning to move a bit. Several youths gathered around. The consensus was clearly that it wouldn't make a great deal of difference if the Pit were wiped out. Another would reappear close by.

As we turned to go into the Royal Barber Shop, a Negro pulled us aside. "You don't know my name, and you're not going to either. I just got back from Vietnam yesterday." He pointed up at the hole in Frank's window. "See that? That's going to stop," he vowed. Was he a combat veteran? Yes. Would the Army help some of the youths? "They don't need to go into the Army to know what's right or wrong," he said.

Inside the barber shop, Eddie Burdix, the owner, was busy in his first chair. What about closing down the Pit? He answered with a question, "What are you going to do with the people?

This is a people problem. Where are they going to go?....they've got every other thing under controls in this country, and you mean to tell me they can't control this Pit?"

Jim Ellis, a cook getting his hair cut in the next chair, joined in, "They've got to put up someplace for the kids to go. Seaside is the only place without a youth center. The kids have got to go somewhere to get rid of all that excess energy. They need supervised recreation."

The other barber, Argustia Lewis, said, "Laws have already been made...for loitering, drinking...they just have to enforce them. They should be in school, if the kids are the problem...I see as many adults as I do kids."

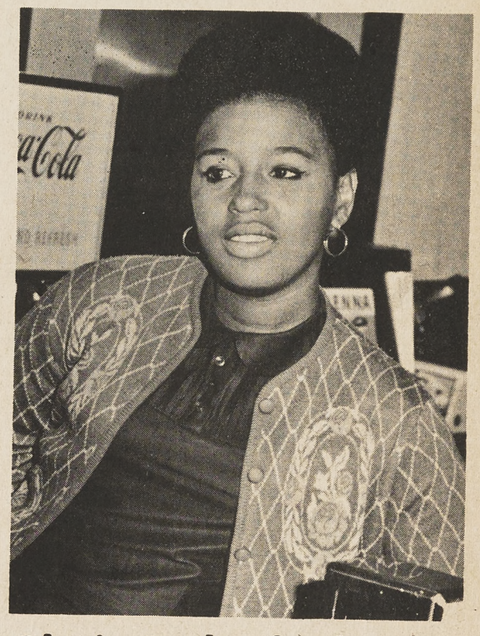
"I don't know what to say," said Johnie Franklin, who was eating his breakfast when we interruped him. "How do you think we're going to live? They won't give you enough money to go into business again. But if they decide to take your property, you have to take what they give you."

"Those guys just sit down there over a cup of coffee and decide they're going to close us down. They have their jobs. They don't care what happens to us."

"You never see them come up here and ask if they can help these guys or these kids before it happens, but just as soon as something starts, man, watch them come."

"You still want to know if I think it should be closed down?" he finished eating his scrambled eggs. They were cold.

Juan Castro
owner, lunch counter
". . .tearing it down will mean more trouble . . .I don't know. . ."



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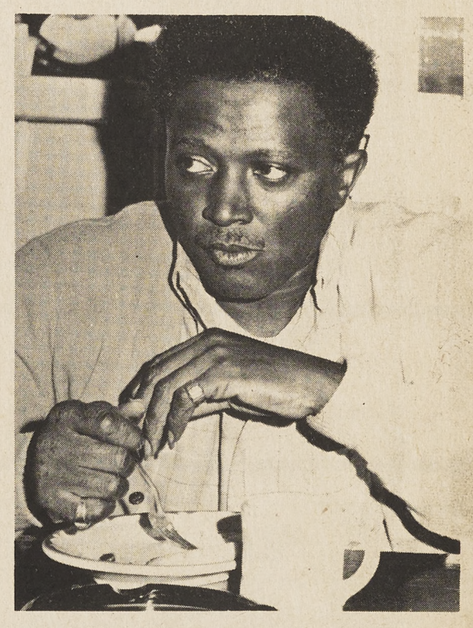

Johnie Franklin
owner, Frank's Place
". . . they won't give you enough money to go in business again. How do you think we're going to live?"